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Brochures and registration forms are available from the contact person or organization sponsoring the program.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

ArMA—Contact: Arizona Medical Association, 810 W Bethany Home Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85013. (602) 246-8901.

Mayo Clinic-Scottsdale—Contact: Postgraduate Courses, Mayo Clinic-Scottsdale, (602) 301-7447.

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#### **ALLERGY**

July 31-Aug. 3—A Midsummer Night's Wheeze. California Society of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology at La Costa Resort & Spa in Carlsbad. Thurs.-Fri. Contact: CSAAI (714) 828-8022.

January 18–23, 1998—36th Annual Scientific Session of The Western Society of Allergy and Immunology. Four Seasons Resort, Wailea in Maui, Hawaii. For more information contact Rebecca Gough, Exec. Administrator, PO Box 1122, Roanoke, Texas, 76262; (817) 491-2616, Fax (817) 491-2241).

#### **ANESTHESIOLOGY**

November 14–16—9th Annual Anesthesiology Update, 1997. UC Davis at Monterey Plaza Hotel. Fri.–Sun. Contact: (916) 734-5390.

#### **CARDIOLOGY**

August 1-3—Cardiology in Primary Care. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$495. Fri.—Sun. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

- August 7–9—Critical Care in Cardiology. American College of Cardiology at Palace Hotel, San Francisco. Thurs.—Sat. 16.5 hrs. Contact: Registration Secretary, Extramural Programs Dept. ACC, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814-1699. (800) 253-4636, ext. 695.
- October 16–18—21st Annual Cardiology Update 1997. American College of Cardiology at Carmel Valley Ranch Resort. Thurs.—Sat. 12 hrs. Contact: ACC Registration Secretary, Extramural Programs Dept. ACC, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814–1699. (800) 253-4636, ext. 695.

#### DERMATOLOGY

August 4-6—Practical Dermatology for the Primary Care Physician. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$495. Fri.—Sun. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

September 27–28—The Skin From A to Z. UCSF at Laurel Heights Campus, UCSF. Sat.—Sun. 10 hrs. \$275. Contact: UCSF.

#### **EMERGENCY MEDICINE**

- July 27–29—Urban Emergency Medicine. UCSF at Sheraton Palace, SF. Sun.-Tues. 17 hrs. \$475. Contact: UCSF.
- August 19–20—High Risk Emergency Medicine. Sponsored by National ACEP & Emergency Physicians' Medical Group. Tues.—Wed. Mission Velley Hilton, San Diego. 15 hrs. \$299-499. Contact: Nations Executive Travel (800) 651-CEME.
- October 17–19—Essentials in Emergency Medicine and Urgent Care. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Hyatt Regency La Jolla, San Diego. Method, AV, L, SB, W. \$495. Fri.—Sun. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.
- November 10-14—Emergency Medicine Symposium II. UCSD at La Jolla Marriott. Mon.-Fri. 32 hrs. \$495. Contact: UCSD (619) 534-3940.

#### FAMILY PRACTICE/PRIMARY CARE

- July 7-10—The Family Practice Board Review Course. Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. \$525 for physicians. 25 hrs. Contact: Program Coordinator, Dept. of Fame and Community Medicine, 500 Parnassus Ave., MU-3E, San Francisco, CA 94143-0900. (415) 476-5250.
- July 12—2nd Annual Primary Care Dermatology Symposium. UCD at Embassy Suites, Napa. Sat. 6 hrs. \$60. Contact: UCD.
- August 1–3—Cardiology in Primary Care. Continuing Education Associates at San Diego Hotel Del Coronado. Fri.—Sun. 20 hrs. \$495. Contact: CMEA, PO Box 270469, San Diego, 92198-2469, (800) 993-CMEA.
- August 4–6—Practical Dermatology for the Primary Care Physician. Continuing Medical Education Associates at San Diego Hotel Del Coronado. Mon.–Wed. 20 hrs. \$495. Contact: CMEA, PO Box 270469, San Diego, 92198-2469, (800) 993-CMEA.
- August 18-22—Essentials of Primary Care: A Core Curriculum for Practice in the Managed Care Era. UCSF at Squaw Creek Resort, N. Lake Tahoe. Mon.-Fri. 25 hrs. \$625. Contact: UCSF.
- August 22–24—Primary Care Medicine: A Practical Approach. Scripps Clinic at Le Meridien San Diego at Coronado, San Diego. Fri.—Sun. 16 hrs. Contact: Laurel Steigerwald, Dept. Academic Affairs 403-C. Scripps Clinic, 10666 N. Torrey Pines Rd., La Jolla 92037. (619) 554-8556.
- September 25–27—**HIV, AID & Women.** OCME at La Jolla Marriott, San Diego. Thurs.–Sat. 14 hrs. \$175. Contact: OCME (619) 534-3940.
- September 27-30—OB/GYN Review. USC at Red Lion Hotel, Glendale. Sun.-Tues. 38 hrs. Contact: USC.
- September 27—2nd Annual Women's Health Symposium. UCD at Davis Medical Center, Sacramento. Sat. Contact: UCD.

#### **GERIATRICS**

September 4-6—Sports Medicine for the Mature Athlete. OCME at Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines, La Jolla. Thurs.—Sat. Contact: OCME (619) 534-3040

November 10-12—Geriatrics Update, 1997. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Loews Coronado Bay Resort, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$475. Mon.—Wed. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

#### **INFECTIOUS DISEASE**

- September 25-27—HIV, AID & Women. OCME at La Jolla Marriott, San Diego. Thurs.-Sat. 14 hrs. \$175. Contact: OCME (619) 534-3940.
- November 7-9-Advances in Infectious Disease. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Loews Coronado Bay Resort, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$475. Fri.—Sun. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

#### INTERNAL MEDICINE

- August 17-20-New Advances in Internal Medicine. UCD at Embassy Suites, Monterey. Sun.-Fri. Contact: UCD.
- August 22-24—Primary Care Medicine: A Practical Approach. Scripps Clinic at Le Meridien San Diego at Coronado, San Diego. Fri.—Sun. 16 hrs. Contact: Laurel Steigerwald, Dept. Academic Affairs 403-C. Scripps Clinic, 10666 N. Torrey Pines Rd., La Jolla 92037. (619) 554-8556.
- September 26-30—Internal Medicine 1997—Fall Program. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Loews Coronado Bay Resort, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$675. Fri.—Tues. 30 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

#### **NEUROLOGY**

- October 16–17—Neuroradiology Update. Thu.—Fri. Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado, California. \$300. Sponsored by UC San Diego. Information: Ryals & Associates, Inc., PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (770) 641-9773; Fax: (770) 552-9859; http://www.ryalsmeet.com.
- October 20-22-Neurology and Outpatient Psychiatry in Primary Care. San Diego. Sponsored by Continuing Medical Education Associates. Hyatt Regency La Jolla, San Diego. Method: AV, L, SB, W. \$495. Mon.-Wed. 20 hrs. credit: AMA, AOA, AAFP. Information: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 270469, San Diego, CA 92198. (619) 674-5200.

#### **ONCOLOGY**

September 13-2nd Annual Cancer Research Program. UCD at Sierra Health Foundation, Sacramento. Fri. 6 hrs. \$95. Contact: UCD.

#### **OPHTHALMOLOGY**

July 25-27—17th Annual Current Concepts in Ophthalmology. Mercy Scripss Healthcare, San Diego Marriott Mission Valley. Fri.-Sun. 10 hrs. \$375. Contact: Marie Krygier, Medical Education Coordinator, San Diego Eye Bank, 9444 Balboa Ave., Ste. 100, San Diego, CA 92123. (800) EYE-BANK or (619) 694-0444.

#### **KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS**

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- STAN Stanford University, Postgraduate Education, (415) 723-5594.
- UCD: University of California, Davis, Office of Continuing Medical Education, (916) 734-5390.
- UCI: University of California, Irvine, Memorial/UCI Center for Health Education, (714) 824-5926.
- UCLA: University of California, Los Angeles, Continuing Education in Medicine and Health Sciences, (310) 794-2620.
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- University of California, San Francisco, Extended Programs in Medical UCSF: Education, (415) 476-4251.
- USC: University of Southern California, Postgraduate Division, (800) USC-1119.

#### **OTOLARYNGOLOGY**

- September 13-17—1996-1997 Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Courses. The House Ear Institute at Los Angeles. Sat.—Wed. 48 hrs. \$1,300. Contact: House Ear Institute, 2100 W. Third St., Los Angeles 90057. (213) 483-4431, ext. 7079.
- October 11-15—1996-1997 Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course. House Ear Institute at Los Angeles. Sat.-Wed. 48 hrs. \$1,300. Contact: House Ear Institute (213) 483-4431.
- November 1-5—**1996-1997 Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Course.** House Ear Institute at Los Angeles. Sat.—Wed. 48 hrs. \$1300. Contact: House Ear Institute, 2100 W. Third St., Los Angeles, CA 90057. (213) 483-4431, ext. 7079.

#### **PEDIATRICS**

- September 25-27-The Fetus & Newborn: State-of-the-Art Care. Contemporary Forums at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Thurs.—Sat. 16 hrs. \$415. Contact: Contemporary Forums, 11900 Silvergate Drive, Dept. 348, Dublin, CA, 94568. (510) 828-7100, ext. 0.
- October 25-28-Pediatric Facial Plastic Surgery. UCD at Monterey Plaza Hotel, Sat.-Tues, Contact: UCD.

#### **PSYCHIATRY**

November 14-16—43rd Annual Group Therapy Symposium. UCSF at Mark Hopkins Hotel, San Francisco. Fri.-Sun. 20 hrs. \$340. Contact:

#### **PSYCHOLOGY**

October 18-New Treatment Advances for Psychosis. UCD at UC Davis Medical Center, Sacramento. Sat. Contact: UCD.

#### **RADIOLOGY**

- July 12-19-14th Annual Superficial Anatomy & Cutaneous Surgery. UCSD at Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines, La Jolla. Sat.-Sat. Contact: OCME (619) 534-3940.
- July 13-17-Advanced Imaging of the Spine. UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego, Sun.-Thurs, 21 hrs. \$440, Contact: Rvals & Assoc. (770) 641-9773.
- July 16-20-14th Annual Physics of Diagnostic Radiology, Nuclear Medicine and Radiation Biology: Review Course. UC Davis at UC Davis campus. Wed.-Sun. Contact: UCD.
- August 31–September 4—Neuroradiology Review; Including the Head, Neck and Spine. Sun.—Thu. The Four Seasons Hotel, Newport Beach, California. \$725. Sponsored by UC Irvine. Information: Ryals & Associates, Inc., PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (770) 641-9773; Fax: (770) 552-9859; http://www.ryalsmeet.com.
- September 20-21---Ultrasound Update: 1997. UCD at DoubleTree Hotel, Sacramento, Sat.-Sun, Contact: UCD.
- October 16-17-Neuroradiology Update. Thu.-Fri. Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado, California. \$300. Sponsored by UC San Diego. Information: Ryals & Associates, Inc., PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (770) 641-9773; Fax: (770) 552-9859; http://www.ryalsmeet.com.
- —17th Annual Comprehensive Review of Vascular & Interventional Radiology. UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Sat.-Sun. 14.5 hrs. \$325. Contact: Ryals & Assoc. (770) 641-9773
- October 20-24-Multispecialty Radiology Course. UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Mon.-Fri. Contact: Ryals & Assoc. (770) 641-9773.
- October 22–26—Musculoskeletal MR. Wed.-Sun. The Westin Resort Hotel, Hilton Head, SC. \$550. Sponsored by UC San Diego. Information: Ryals & Associates, Inc., PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (770) 641-9773; Fax: (770) 552-9859; http://www.ryalsmeet.com.

#### **SURGERY**

- July 12-19-14th Annual Superficial Anatomy & Cutaneous. OCME at Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines, La Jolla. Sat.-Sat. 36 hrs. \$1,395. Contact: OCME (619) 534-3940.
- September 5-7-Surgery: Science Advancing the Art. UC Irvine at La Quinta Desert Springs Resort (Palm Springs). Fri.-Sun. 7 hrs. \$250. Con-

- tact: Medical Student Conference Committee c/o Medical Education. UC Irvine, School of Medicine, P.O. Box 4089, Irvine 92717-4089.
- September 19–20—3rd Annual Surgical Review: Update in Minimally Invasive Surgery, Trauma and Ultrasound. UCD at David Grant Medical Center, Fairfield. Fri.—Sat. Contact: UCD.
- October 4-5—New Directions in Lasers & Cosmetic Surgical Procdures: A Hands-On Course. UCD at UC Davis Medical Center, Sacramento. Sat.-Sun. Contact: UCD.

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- July 25—ACLS Renewal. AHA at San Francisco. Fri. 6 hrs. \$100. Contact: Marilyn Gray or Rozann Grunig (510) 754-7900.
- July 26–27—ACLS Provider. AHA at San Francisco. Sat.—Sun. 16 hrs. \$170. Contact: Marilyn Gray or Rozann Grunig (510) 754-7900.
- July 26—Medicine at the Millenium: Internet, Computing, and Clincal Practice. Stanford University School of Medicine. Sat. 5 hrs. \$85. Contact: Events Coordinator, Section on Medical Informatics, MSOB, X-215, Route 5, Stanford, CA, 94305-5479. (510) 723-6979.
- August 16–17—ACLS Provider. AHA at San Leandro. Sat.—Sun. 16 hrs. \$170. Contact: CPR Seminars (510) 632-6135.
- August 26—ACLS Instructor Renewal. AHA at Concord. Tues. \$100. Contact: Rozann (510) 754-7900 or Alice (510) 828-1563.
- September 4—ACLS Renewal. AHA at Fremont. 6 hrs. Thurs. \$100. Contact: Rozann (510) 754-7900 or Alice (510) 828-1563.
- September 18-21—8th Annual Conference of The American Academy of Pain Management. Alexis Park Hotel & Spa, Las Vegas, Nevada. Contact: AAPM, (209) 533-9744; Email: aapm@aapainmanage.org; Website: www.aapainmanage.org.
- September 29 & October 6—ACLS Instructor Course. AHA at Concord. 10 hrs. Mon. \$195. Contact: Rozann (510) 754-7900 or Alice (510) 828-1563.
- October 3—Pre-ACLS Study Workshop. AHA at San Leandro. Fri. 7.5 hrs. \$50-\$70. Contact: CPR Seminars (510) 632-6135.
- October 24—ACLS Renewal. AHA at San Francisco. Fri. 6 hrs. \$100. Contact: CPR Seminars (510) 632-6135.
- October 25-26—ACLS Provider. AHA at San Francisco. Fri. 16 hrs. \$170. Contact: CPR Seminars (510) 632-6135.
- October 23–26—Nevada Academy of Family Physicians 9th Annual CME/Golf Meeting. The Orleans Hotel & Casino, Las Vegas. 19 hrs. Contact: Barbara Bolling, NAFP, PO Box 27713, Las Vegas, NV 89126-1713. (702) 228-5822.
- January 28–31, 1998—Medicine Meets Virtual Reality:6. Art, Science, Technology: Healthcare (R)Evolution. San Diego Hyatt Regency. Wed.-Sat. Contact: AMA, Inc. (760) 741-8841.
- February 13–16, 1998—California Academy of Family Physicians 50th Annual Scientific Assembly. Anaheim Hilton and Towers. \$275–\$385. 26+ hrs. Contact: Clark W. Franklin, California Academy of Family Physicians, 114 Sansome St., Suite 1305, San Francisco, CA 94104-3824. (415) 394-9121; fax (415) 394-9119; Email: cfranklin@familydocs.org.

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- Tuesday Noon Conferences—Various Topics in Medicine. Lutheran Medical Center, Wheat Ridge. Contact: Jean A. Kline, (303) 425-2951.
- First Wednesday of Each Month—Various Topics in Neurology. Colorado Society of Clinical Neurologists. Contact: Colorado Society of Neurologists, (303) 449-3566.
- Every Second Wednesday of the Month—Cardiovascular Education Series. St Anthony Hospital at St Anthony Hospital, Denver. Contact: Rose Powell. (303) 629-3678.
- June 26–29, 1997—Colorado Academy of Family Physicians Annual Scientific Meeting. Colorado AFP at Sheraton Steamboat Resort, Steamboat Springs, Colorado, Thurs-Sun. Contact: Randi J. Morris, CAFP, 10700 E. Bethany Drive, Suite 109, Aurora, CO 80014, (303) 696-6655, FAX (303) 696-7224, e-mail: cafp@usa.net.

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Sometime in November

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763-3555.

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ITS: Intermountain Thoracic Society, 1616 S 11th East, Salt Lake City 84105. (801)

484-4456.

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(801) 588-2000

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355-7477.

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY OF HEADACHE. November 14–16—Scottsdale Headache Symposium. Scottsdale at Marriott's Camelback Inn Resort & Spa. Contact: (609) 845-1720.

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF OCCUPATIONAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL MEDICINE. October 26–30—49th Annual State-of-the-Art Conference. Opryland Hotel, Nashville, Tennessee. Sun.—Thur. Contact: ACOEM, 55 W. Seegers Rd., Arlington Heights, Ill 60005. (847) 228-6850, ext. 184, FAX (847) 228-1856; Website: www.acoem.org.

Arrhythmias: Interpretation, Diagnosis & Management. July 11–13, Hyatt Regency, Lake Tahoe, NV. October 31–November 1, Le Meridien, San Diego. December 12–14, Monte Carlo Hotel, Las Vegas, NV. Sponsored by Medical Education Resources. 11 hrs. \$375. Contact: Linda Main, Meetings Coordinator, Medical Education Resources, 1500 West Canal Court, Suite 500, Littleton, CO 80120-4569. 800-421-3756; (303) 798-9682; fax (303) 798-5731.

Clinical Endocrinology for Primary Care Physicians. September 26–28, Crowne Plaza Hotel, San Francisco, CA. Sponsored by Medical Education Resources. 11 hrs. \$375. Contact: Linda Main, Meetings Coordinator, Medical Education Resources, 1500 West Canal Court, Suite 500, Littleton, CO 80120-4569. 800-421-3756; (303) 798-9682; fax (303) 798-5731.

- Coronary Heart Disease Update. August 22–24, Hyatt regency, Monterey, CA. November 21–23, Monte Carlo Hotel, Las Vegas, NV. Sponsored by Medical Education Resources. 11 hrs. \$375. Contact: Linda Main, Meetings Coordinator, Medical Education Resources, 1500 West Canal Court, Suite 500, Littleton, CO 80120-4569. 800-421-3756; (303) 798-9682; fax (303) 798-5731
- CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE. July 9–11—14th Annual Scientific Session of the American Association of Clinical Anatomists. Honolulu. Wed-Fri. Contact: Sally C. O'Neill, PhD, Associate Dean, Creighton University CME Division, 601 North 30th St., Suite 2130, Omaha, NE 68131. (800) 548-CMED or (402) 280-1830.
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- UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA. August 27—Breastfeeding: Baby's Natural Choice Conference. Omaha. Wed. Contact: Center for Continuing Education, University of Nebraska Medical Center, 600 South 42nd St, Box 985651, Omaha, NE 68198-5651. (800) 642-1095.
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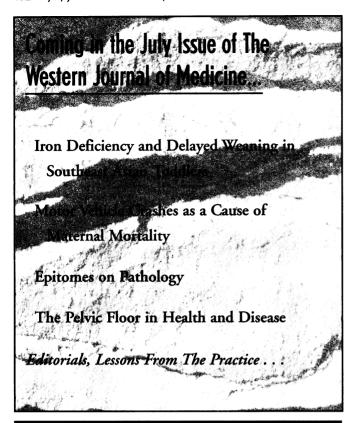


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